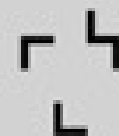
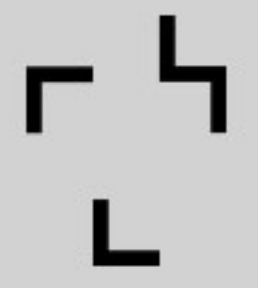




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*Before Pilate*

John 18:28-38

**WEEK THREE**

# JESUS BEFORE PILATE

## JOHN 18:28-38 (ESV)

<sup>28</sup> Then they led Jesus from the house of Caiaphas to the governor's headquarters. It was early morning. They themselves did not enter the governor's headquarters, so that they would not be defiled, but could eat the Passover. <sup>29</sup> So Pilate went outside to them and said, "What accusation do you bring against this man?" <sup>30</sup> They answered him, "If this man were not doing evil, we would not have delivered him over to you."



# JESUS BEFORE PILATE

## JOHN 18:28-38 (ESV)

<sup>31</sup> Pilate said to them, “Take him yourselves and judge him by your own law.” The Jews said to him, “It is not lawful for us to put anyone to death. <sup>32</sup> This was to fulfill the word that Jesus had spoken to show by what kind of death he was going to die.



# JESUS BEFORE PILATE

## JOHN 18:28-38 (ESV)

<sup>33</sup> So Pilate entered his headquarters again and called Jesus and said to him, “Are you the King of the Jews?” <sup>34</sup> Jesus answered, “Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?” <sup>35</sup> Pilate answered, “Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered you over to me. What have you done?”



# JESUS BEFORE PILATE

## JOHN 18:28-38 (ESV)

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# JESUS BEFORE PILATE

## JOHN 18:28-38 (ESV)

<sup>37</sup> Then Pilate said to him, “So you are a king?” Jesus answered, “You say that I am a king. For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice.” <sup>38</sup> Pilate said to him, “What is truth?” After he had said this, he went back outside to the Jews and told them, “I find no guilt in him.”



# I. CHRIST THE KING

## JOHN 18:36-37 (ESV)

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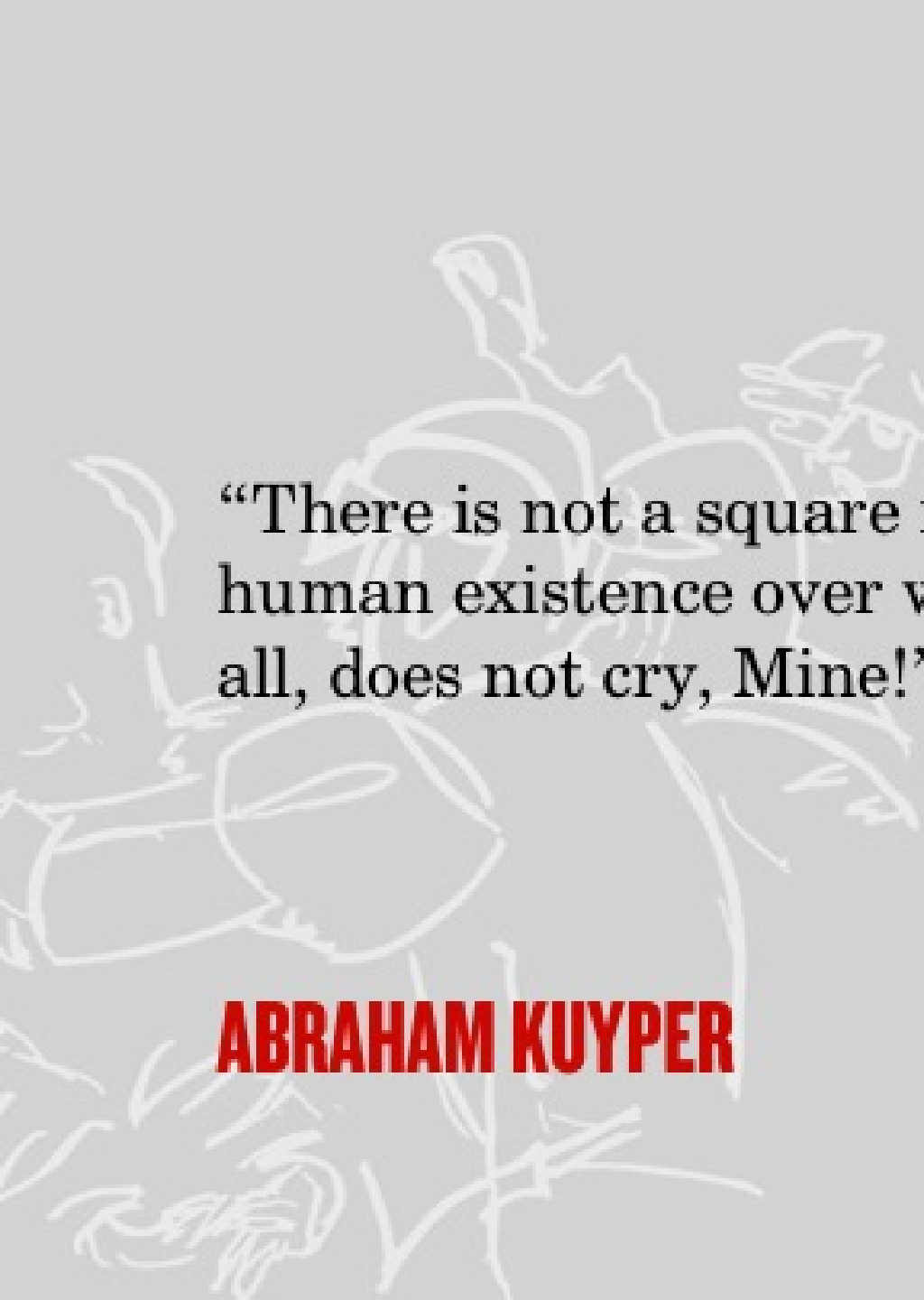


# I. CHRIST THE KING

## JOHN 19:10-11 (ESV)

“...Do you not know that I have authority to release you and authority to crucify you?” <sup>11</sup> Jesus answered him, “You would have no authority over me at all unless it had been given you from above.

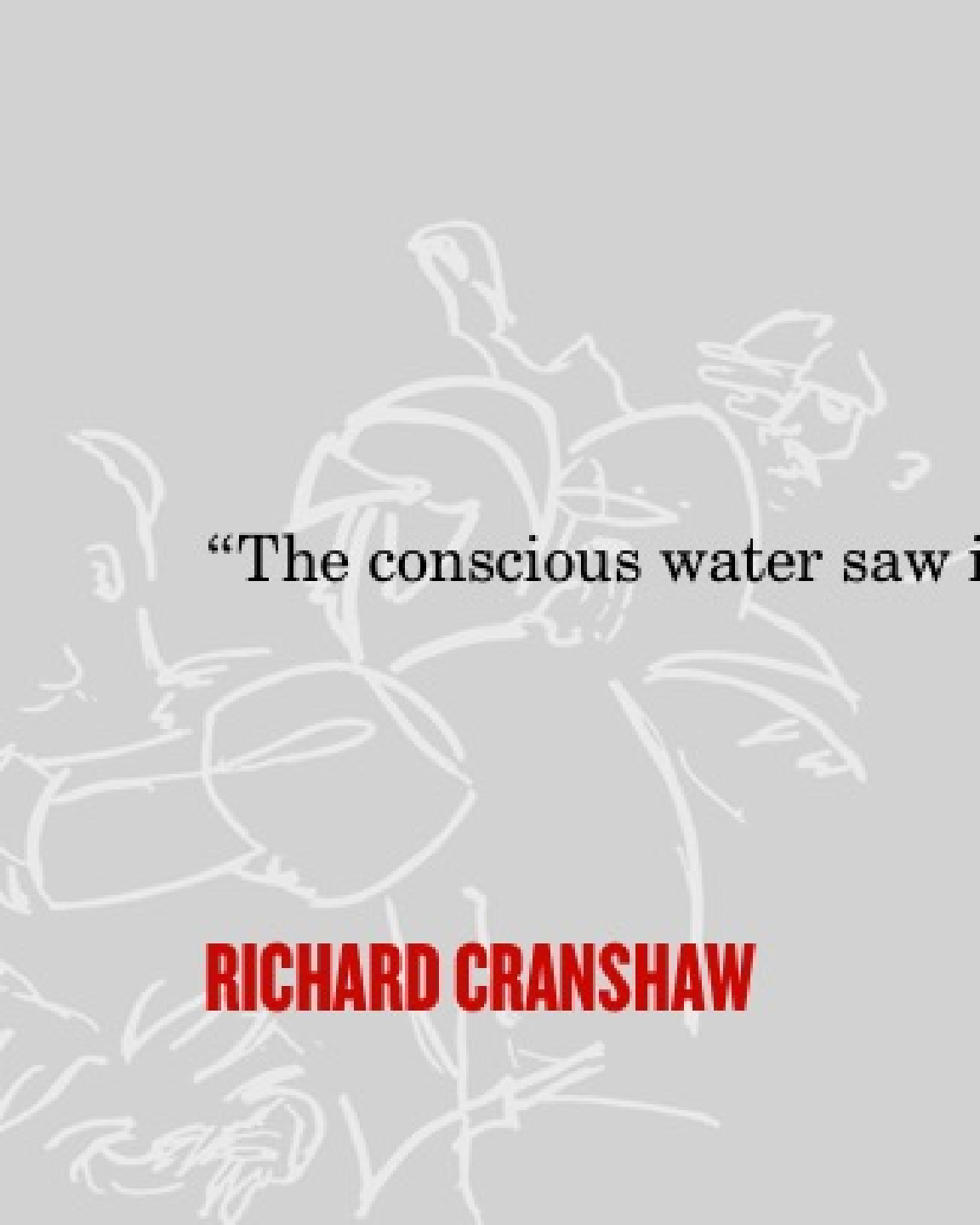




“There is not a square inch in the whole domain of our human existence over which Christ, who is Sovereign over all, does not cry, Mine!”

**ABRAHAM KUYPER**

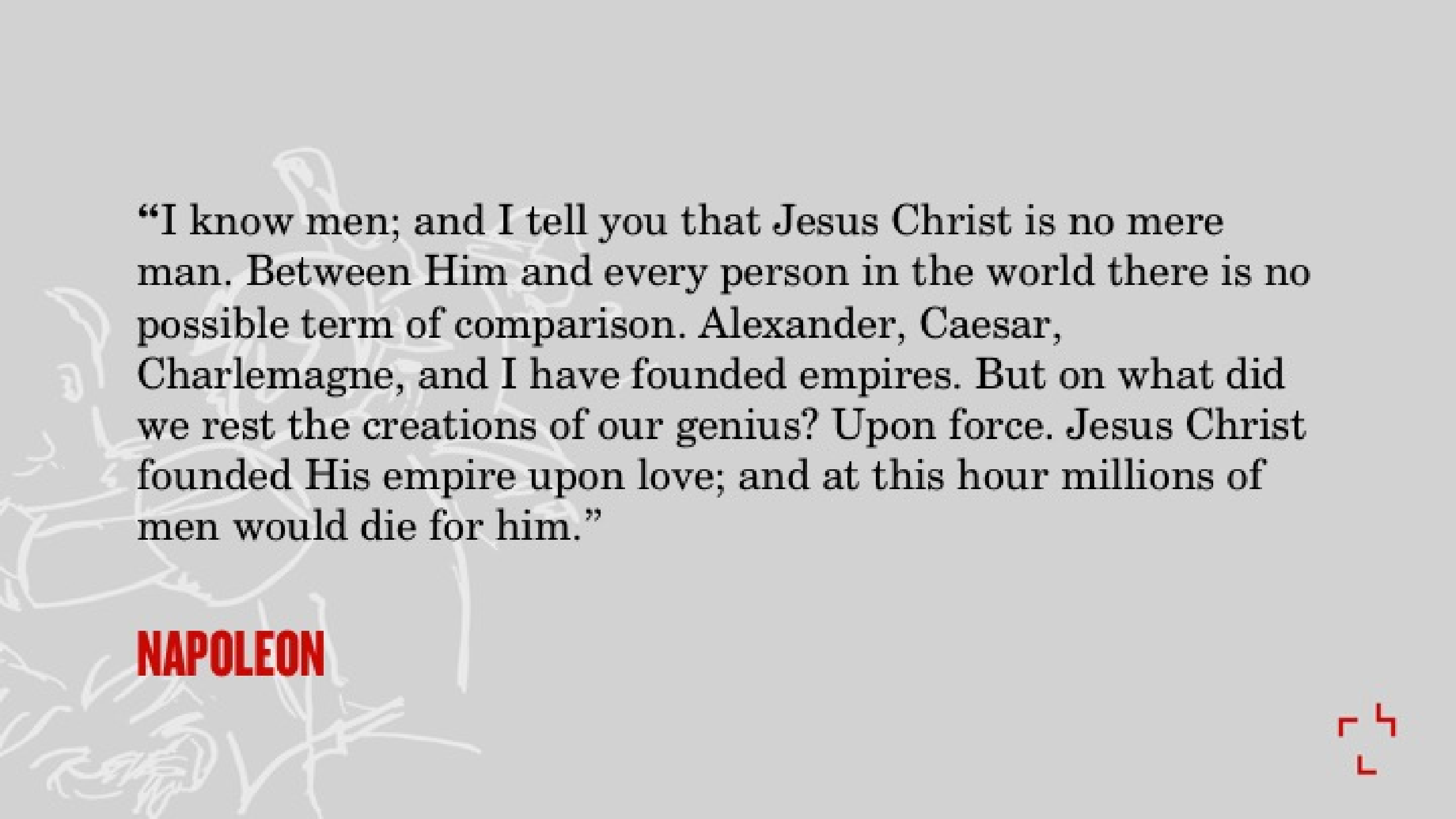




“The conscious water saw its Creator, and blushed.”

**RICHARD CRANSHAW**





“I know men; and I tell you that Jesus Christ is no mere man. Between Him and every person in the world there is no possible term of comparison. Alexander, Caesar, Charlemagne, and I have founded empires. But on what did we rest the creations of our genius? Upon force. Jesus Christ founded His empire upon love; and at this hour millions of men would die for him.”

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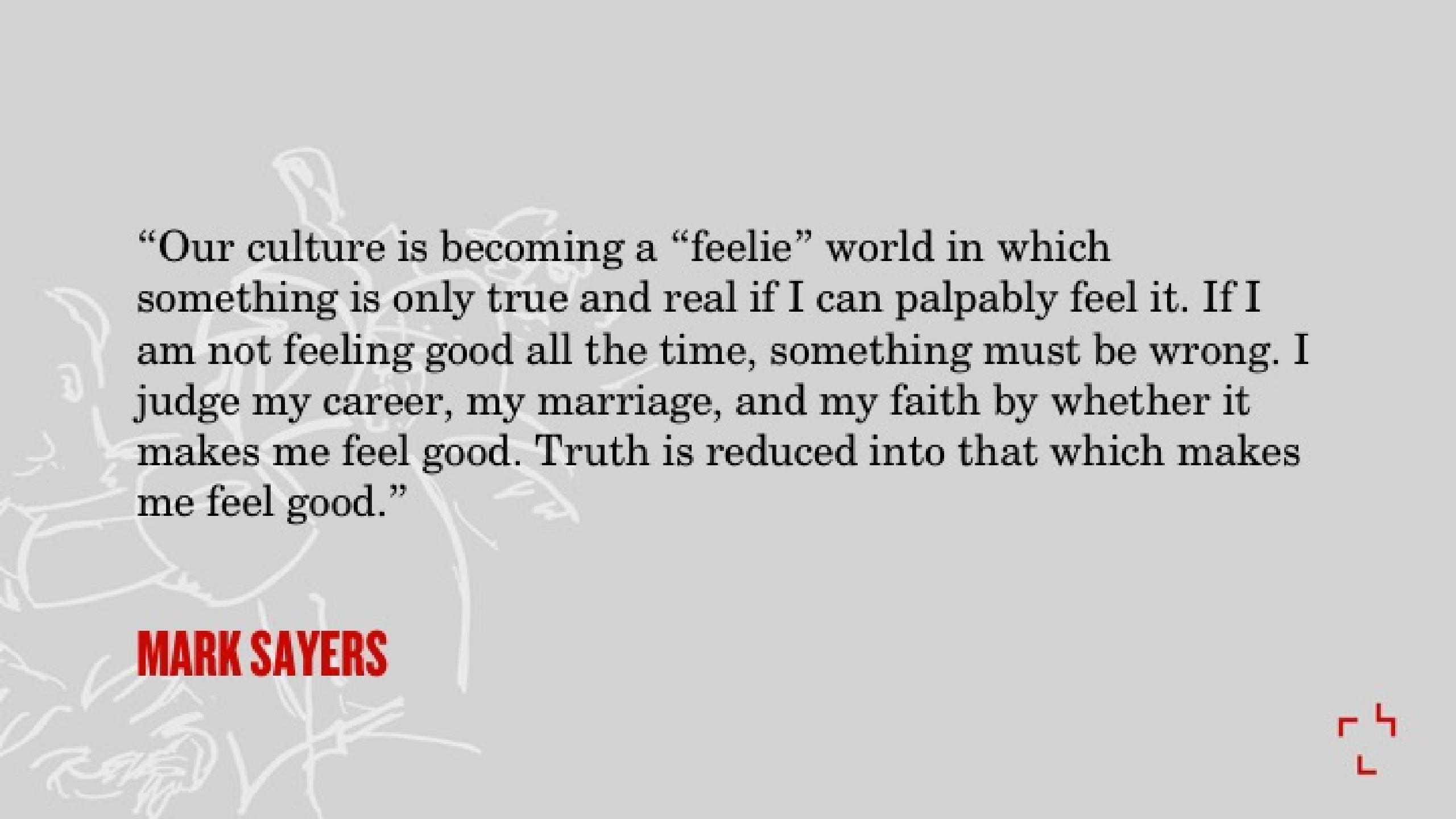


# 2. CHRIST THE TRUTH

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“Our culture is becoming a “feelie” world in which something is only true and real if I can palpably feel it. If I am not feeling good all the time, something must be wrong. I judge my career, my marriage, and my faith by whether it makes me feel good. Truth is reduced into that which makes me feel good.”

**MARK SAYERS**



# 2. CHRIST THE TRUTH

## JOHN 1:14 (NIV)

<sup>14</sup> The Word became flesh and made his dwelling among us. We have seen his glory, the glory of the One and Only, who came from the Father, full of grace and truth.

